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# LIDA MRBM COMPLEX, USSR FIXED FIELD SITE



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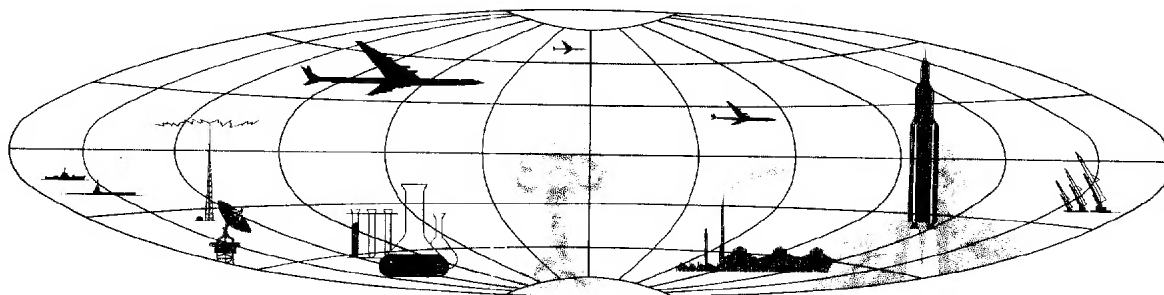
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LIDA MRBM COMPLEX, USSR  
FIXED FIELD SITE

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Launch Area No 1 (TDI name: Lida Launch Site 1) -- Type I 53-47- N 25-21- E BE No

Launch Area No 2 (TDI name: Lida Launch Site 2) -- Type I 53-57- N 25-28- E BE No

Lida Fixed Field Site (TDI name: Vasilishki SSM Fixed Field Position) 53-44- N 24-56- E  
BE No

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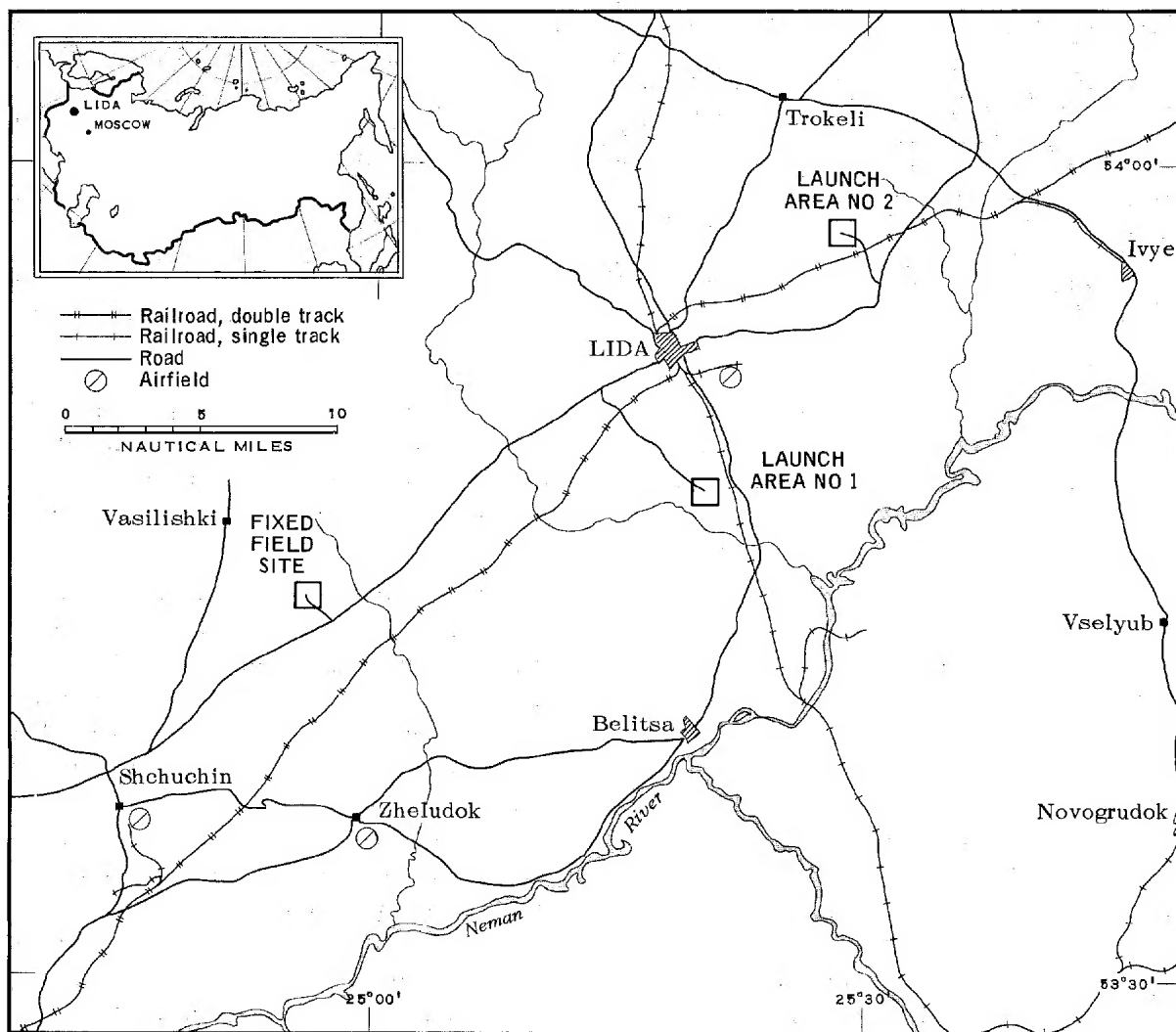
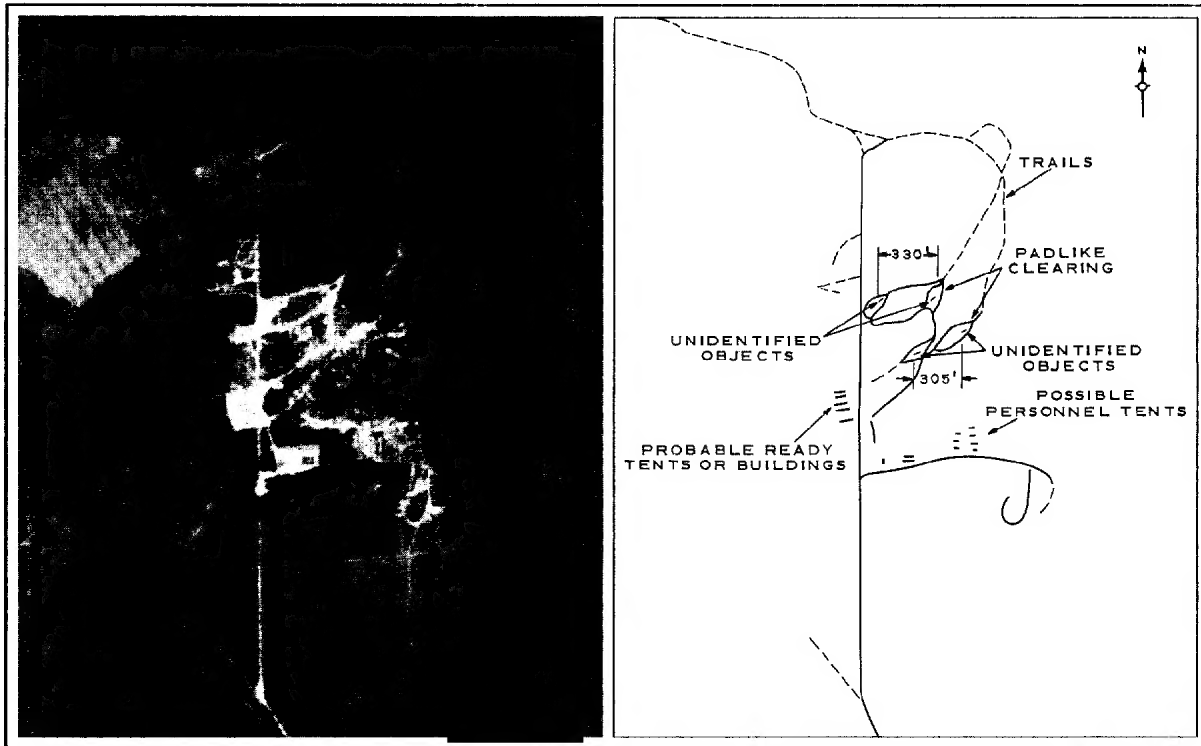


FIGURE 1. LIDA MRBM COMPLEX.

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FIGURE 2. LIDA FIXED FIELD SITE.

This report supplements NPIC/R-10/64, 1/ which discusses the Lida MRBM Complex, previously consisting of two Type 1 launch areas, together with a probable rail-to-road transfer point.

The Lida Fixed Field Site is located in a rolling wooded area 15.5 nautical miles (nm) southwest of Lida in the White Russian SSR (Figure 1). The site was first identified in

The railyard at Lida is the probable rail-to-road transfer point for the Lida MRBM Complex. Well constructed roads interconnect the launch areas and field site with this railyard.

The fixed field site (Figure 2) consists of four interconnected padlike clearings each containing an unidentified object. At least five probable ready tents or buildings measuring approximately 100 by 20 feet are located in a large clearing along the access road to the west. In the southeast portion of the field site are several rows of possible personnel tents. The southern padlike clearings are separated by approximately 305 feet, and the northern clearings are approximately 330 feet apart. The padlike clearings, though poorly defined, appear to be oriented in a similar direction to Launch Areas No 1 and 2.

Launch Areas No 1 and 2 were first observed in [REDACTED] and were apparently complete at that time. Launch Area No 1 is located 14.5 nm east-northeast of the field site and Launch Area No 2 is situated 22.8 nm northeast of the field site. Launch Areas No 1 and 2 are oriented on azimuths of [REDACTED] degrees.

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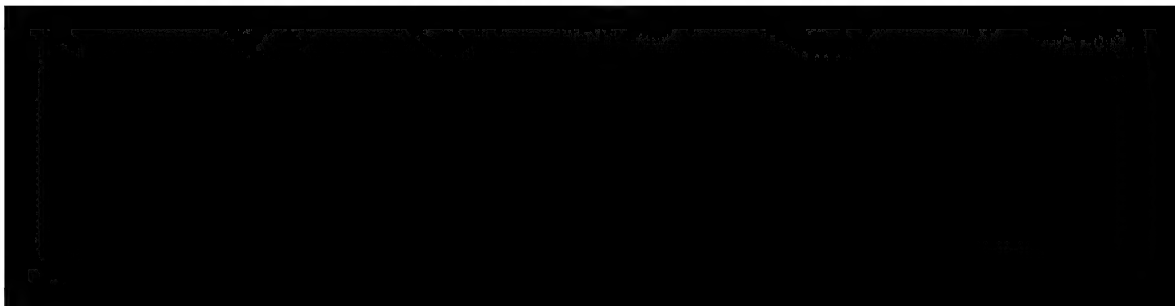
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MAPS OR CHARTS

SAC. US Air Target Chart, Series 200, Sheet 0168-13HL, 2d ed, Sep 62, scale 1:200,000 (SECRET)

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REQUIREMENT

GMAIC-6-64 (partial answer)

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